

Claim 26, line 2

Delete "one of Claims 3 to 20" and insert --
claim 3 --.

REMARKS

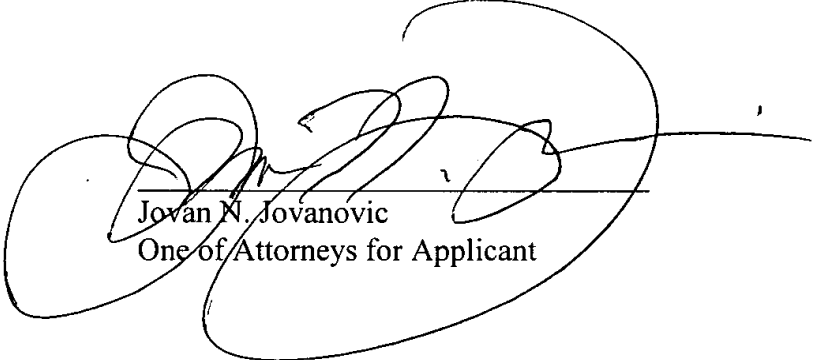
Upon entry of the foregoing amendment, the application is in condition for substantive review.

Should anything further be required, a telephone call to the undersigned, at (312) 226-1818, is respectfully invited.

Respectfully submitted,

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